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PINE BLUFF
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PROSPERITY

NEWS NOTES FROM GRADY, ARK.

A four room cottage, owned by Mrs. T. J. Hardin, was entirely destroyed by fire Thursday night. Origin of fire unknown.

The Silver Tea, given for the benefit of the Organ Fund at the home of Mrs. M. S. Hastings, was quite a success. The house was beautifully decorated with jonquills and growing pansies. The guests were received by Miss Ruby Hawley and Miss Hastings. Miss Cora Adel Hellums bore a silver tray, on which the offerings were placed. The guests were ushered into the dining room, where they were served with coffee, tea and delicate wafers. The coffee and tea urns were attended by Miss Aline Hastings and Miss Peuehney, and they were assisted in serving by Thelie Hall and Lula Hellums. Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. R. R. Rice, Mrs. Robert Rice, Jr., Miss Shirley Rice and Miss Mary Douglass, of Varner, Andrew Clemmons and Sam Rice of Tamo, and Mrs. Will Sutton, of Little Rock. The flow of music and talk proclaimed a happy time, and a nice sum of money was added to the organ fund.

The Young Ladies' Sewing Club met with Miss Frances Caster last Monday evening.

Dr. E. L. Hutchinson's pretty new bungalow will soon be completed.

The contract for a new Catholic church to be erected at Grady has been given to C. E. Wood.

The Live Boak is now at work crating the Hall Lateral, they expect to get the work done in about three months.

The civil engineer with a corps of assistants is busy surveying the new Macadam road to be built from Star City to Grady and on to the Jefferson county line.

Mrs. Wenis and Mrs. Mack Talliaferro are spending the day with Mrs. E. L. Hutchinson, their sister.

The Literary Society of Grady public school had their regular meeting Friday p. m. Quite an interesting program was arranged.

Miss Margaret Glendening has returned to her home in St. Louis, after a visit with her sister Mrs. F. S. Lovett, of Grady.

The beautiful new drug store of Grady, owned by Mrs. T. J. Hardin, is just completed. Mr. James Talliaferro and Dr. E. L. Hutchinson have just opened a fine line of drugs and toilet articles; have a fine prescription case, there is an operating room in connection with the Dr.'s office, and a dental office will be prepared, where Dr. Walter Hutchinson, of Dumas, will be pleased to look after the dental dental work for this community, at least once a month.

We are glad to state that Mr. E. J. Hall is some better, he has been confined to his bed for several days.

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BANK WILL BACK DUKE WAREHOUSE

National City of New York to Branch Into New Field.

LARGEST OF COUNTRY

Financiers Say That Operation of Federal Reserve System Will Serve to Decrease Profits.

New York, March 23.—The National City Bank, the biggest in the United States, is going into new fields after business.

It developed today that its participation in James B. Duke's plan for the organization of a warehouse corporation to aid spinners and manufacturers in financing their purchases of cotton, marks the initial step taken in its campaign for new business.

A report today said the bank was making new plans to compensate it for the ultimate loss of interior bank deposits that will result from the operation of the federal reserve system. Of the \$225,000,000 to \$250,000,000 gross deposits of the National City Bank, \$40,000,000 are estimated as representing deposits by interior institutions.

A director of the bank in discussing the solicitation of the new business said today:

"It has no connection with the federal reserve system of any expected loss through interior deposits. We are trying to think up as many useful things as possible. We believe the warehouse scheme may be one of them and there may be others.

The National City Bank is said to be considering the solicitation of interior commercial accounts which heretofore have been left for the interior banks, it being considered improper to solicit these accounts and receive the deposits of the interior banks at the same time.

Profits of national banks are not expected to be so large under the new system as heretofore, and the largest banks are expected to follow the example of the National City and go into new fields.

ARMY AND NAVY FOR RAILWAY WORK

Congress Would Have Two Branches of Service to Construct Alaskan Line.

Washington, March 23.—The employment of both officers and men of the army and navy on the construction of the Alaskan Railroad was authorized in Congress in a bill introduced by Representative Bailey (Democrat) of Pennsylvania. The bill further stipulates that civilians shall not be used in any such work, unless the navy and army can no further less the navy and army can no further in explanation of his measure, Mr. Bailey said that all public works should be carried on by the army and navy.

"If, under the direction of Colonel Goethals, a canal can be built at Panama, is there any reason to doubt that railroads can be built in Alaska and rivers and harbors improved here at home?" he asked. "It seems to me," he added, "the army and navy would welcome an opportunity to climb down off the backs of the masses and enter upon a career of genuine self-support and resulting self-respect."

To get first hand information in connection with the construction of the government's railroad in Alaska, recently authorized by Congress at a cost of \$35,000,000, Secretary Lane of the Department of the Interior, as the personal representative of President Wilson, will make an extended trip to Alaska during the coming summer, it became known today.

FORMER SEWANESE PROFESSOR DIES OF HEART FAILURE

Washington, March 23.—Durr J. Ramage, an assistant attorney of the Department of Justice and a classmate of President Wilson, at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, dropped dead at his desk today from heart disease. He was formerly professor of law at the University of the South in Sewanee, Tennessee. Senator Luke Lea was one of his pupils.

TRUSTEES WIN IN VANDERBILT U. CASE

SUPREME COURT DECIDES LONG DRAWN OUT LITIGATION AGAINST COLLEGE OF BISHOPS.

Under Terms of Ruling It Is Held Board of Trustees Is a Self Perpetuating Body.

Nashville, Tenn., March 23.—The Tennessee Supreme Court today decided the case involving the control of Vanderbilt University in favor of the university board of trust and against the college of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. The court held the board of trust to be a self-perpetuating body.

The court, however, holds that the board of trusts, as selected, is subject to confirmation by the general conference or the church's board of education, but sit until rejected. The Asheville General Conference's selections for the board of trust in June 1910, namely, Claude Walker and Robt. F. Jackson, of Nashville, and J. A. Robins of McKenzie, Tenn., are seated pending reflection.

The court held that "Commodore" Cornelius Vanderbilt and not the Southern Methodist church was the founder and original patron of Vanderbilt University.

Under the Supreme Court decision, the veto by the college of bishops of the acceptance by the board of trust of Andrew Carnegie's million dollar gift to the medical department is without effect.

New Evidence in Rosenthal Murder Case

Man Claims To Have Seen Harry Vallon On Auto With Revolver In Hand.

New York, March 23.—A new witness who claims he saw Harry Vallon with a revolver in his hand standing on the running board of the gray murder car as it sped through Forty-third street after the murder of Herman Rosenthal has made affidavits to these claims. His sworn statement will be presented to Governor Glynn with the application for the postponement of the execution of the men until after Becker's second trial.

The Governor will be urged to call this new witness who is a Buffalo clothing salesman before him and to have Harry Vallon also present at the hearing in order that he may be identified to the satisfaction of the executive.

HENRY MARX COMPANY IS ATTRACTING MANY

The Henry Marx Company has just received a fine line of new Springs furnishings for men and youths. The clothing handled by this firm are all new and up-to-date, and are cut after the latest models. They are showing a special line of fine suits, with a variety to select from. The firm is also agents for the well-known brand of Hani Schaffner and Marx suits, which have a reputation of being one of the finest lines on the market. Elsewhere in this issue will be found an advertisement of this firm announcing their new spring showing.

ROOSEVELT IS HAVING EXCITEMENT IN TROPICS

San Tarem, Brazil, March 23.—(Special cable by Antony Failla)—"I have received a wire from Col. Roosevelt from Bonifacion, Matto Grosso province, reporting all in good health. He has been exploring the Duvida river and expects to reach Manaus early in April.

"I left Mr. Roosevelt as part of the expedition plans for the exploration of the Pappa gao river, accompanied by a Brazilian cavalry lieutenant and seven men in three canoes. Early in the trip two of the canoes sunk with all our equipment and food in the rapids of the devil.

KILL SELF WHEN WIFE ASKS DIVORCE

Evansville, Ind., March 23.—William Burns, 45 year old, attorney, politician and theatrical manager, was found dead in the room of the Coney Club here today. The coroner says the man committed suicide by taking some kind of quick poison. Burns returned from the west Sunday to find his wife had sued him for divorce. He remarked at the time that "it would soon be over." Deputy Sheriffs were searching for Burns today to serve the divorce papers on him, when his body was found.

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Consumption Takes 350 People Daily

in the United States and the deadly germs claim more victims in cities than in rural districts, due no doubt to the increased number of indoor workers in confining quarters and their lack of sunshine.

Tubercular germs always attack when the system is weakened from colds or sickness, overwork, overstrain, confining duties or any drain which has reduced the resistive forces of the body. But nature always provides a corrector and the best physicians emphasize that during changing climate our blood should be kept rich and pure and active by taking Scott's Emulsion after meals; the cod liver oil in Scott's Emulsion warms the body by enriching the blood—it peculiarly strengthens the lungs and upbuilds the resistive forces of the body to avoid colds and prevent consumption.

If you work indoors, tire easily, feel languid or nervous, Scott's Emulsion is the most strengthening food-medicine known; it builds energy and strength and is totally free from alcohol or any stupefying drug—every druggist has it. 12-106 Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J.

Morse Back from Europe.



CHARLES W. MORSE.

New York, March 23.—Charles W. Morse, pardoned banker-convict, whose 15-year term in Atlanta Penitentiary was cut short by President Taft because of his bad health, has just returned from a sojourn in Germany in the best of health. Mr. Morse declares he has no ideas in his head at the present time and refuses to divulge his plans for the future.

GREAT BRITAIN SEES CRISIS

Passes Through Most Momentous Crisis In 200 Years of Her History.

London, March 23.—Great Britain today has passed through perhaps the most momentous crisis of the last 200 years of her history. Three parties, namely the king, the cabinet and the opposition, have fought a life or death battle with the result that the government and Ireland have won. It probably will be a century before the true secret history of today is written but when that happens it will be seen that radical governments, aided by the solid phalanx of nationalists, has triumphed over the most rushing attack of true blooded reactionary aristocracy upon British democracy ever known.

It will be difficult to exaggerate the difficulties of the cabinet in today's crisis. At the same time it is impossible to applaud. The way they handled the situation so far as their resistance to the Tories and the house of commons, also the matter of resignations of ornamental cavalry officers are concerned. It ought to have been expected along way ahead, and accordingly this counted.

But was not anticipated was the social influence likely to be invoked with accompanying obstacles. Although developments in the doctrine of "cabinet responsibilities" during the last three centuries despondently made the British monarch a cipher and set a crisis as this, yet the fact that King George last Saturday received Lord Roberts who only last Saturday stated in the House of Lords that "it is unthinkable that the British army be called upon to fight the officers volunteered."

MAY 4 IS NAMED AS STATE BIRD DAY

GOVERNOR HAYS AT REQUEST OF AUDUBON SOCIETY ISSUES PROCLAMATION FOR OBSERVANCE.

Object Is To Impress Upon People Necessity For Protection and Prevent Gradual Extinction.

Little Rock, March 23.—At the request of the State Audubon Society Governor George W. Hays this morning issued a proclamation setting aside May 4 as "Bird Day." All schools, societies and individuals of the State are requested by the proclamation to observe the day.

The State Audubon Society was organized several weeks ago and has a membership of fifty. The purpose of the organization is the preservation of birds, and anyone in the State interested in the work can join by paying a small membership fee.

Mrs. T. H. Bunch is president of the society. Governor Hays is one of the vice presidents and Miss Norah Beavers is secretary.

The proclamation sets forth that the relation of bird life to the agricultural interests of the State because they protect the crops by eating the insect and other life that are enemies to vegetation. The society is expected to announce later its plans for celebrating the day. At present nothing definite has been arranged. The organization will specify how "Bird Day" is to be observed and the teachers, pupils and civic societies in all parts of the State will be requested to co-operate. The proclamation issued by Governor Hays follows:

The Proclamation.
To All to Whom These Presents Shall Come—Greeting:

Whereas, The relation and importance of bird life to the common welfare, and especially to the agricultural interests is a subject deserving more general recognition; and

Whereas, It is shown by statistics show that birds are very essential to the protection of crops and add materially to the wealth of the State by destroying obnoxious insects; and, Whereas, The preservation of same must come in a large measure through instilling in the minds of the school children of the State a love of nature and knowledge of her benefactors; to the end, therefore,

That the public schools and all so societies, as well as individuals, may co-operate in the work of saving the birds of the State from wanton slaughter by the thoughtless—

Magnate's Son Flayed.



HENRY H. ROGERS, JR.

New York, March 23.—Justice Clark of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court severely criticized Henry H. Rogers, Jr., son of the late Standard Oil magnate, in a suit brought by the Messiah Home for Crippled Children against young Rogers, who clouded the title to the home by claiming that he holds a \$600,000 mortgage against the institution. The home asserts that the entire property of the home was donated outright by the elder Rogers.

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The words of commendation this wonderful tonic stimulant receives from people holding responsible positions in life has done more to spread the truths of its benefits to mankind than anything we can say in print. Word-of-mouth advertising is something which cannot be bought for money, and is the most valuable. For years Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey has received more testimonials from people in sheer gratitude for the good it has done them than any other remedy in the world, and the reason is not hard to fathom.

It has been before the public for half a century and its medicinal value is undoubted. It is an absolutely pure distillation of carefully malted grain. Overworked men and delicate women will find in Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey the health and strength-giving properties that are so necessary to them. It is prescribed by doctors and recognized as a family medicine everywhere.

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THE FRIENDS OF BOTH SENATOR CLARKE AND JUDGE KIRBY ARE CONFIDENT OF VICTORY BY A LARGE MAJORITY.

EXECUTION SATURDAY.

Little Rock, March 23.—Fred Pelton, a negro criminal who has had a notorious career, will be electrocuted at the state penitentiary next Saturday for the murder of an aged negress near the state farm several months ago.

WOMAN KILLS HER DAUGHTER BY MISTAKE

Paducah, Ky., March 23.—Mrs. Joe Wilson today shot and killed her thirteen-year-old daughter, Adele, when she mistook her for a burglar.

TELL OF TRYING TIMES IN MEXICO

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good has been accomplished.

Were Unable to Leave.

"The rebel bands are taking everything by storm, and had we been able to leave there safely some time ago, we would have left soon after the fighting started. It is a most pitiable scene to witness the slaughter of the women and children, as is now the case.

"After landing safely across the border, we were shown every courtesy possible, and I cannot help but thank the good people who nobly assisted us and helped us to safety. I would rather die a hundred deaths than live one month of that life over."

Mr. Juliettes is a railroad man and came to this city in search of employment. The family is in very poor circumstances and their case was reported to the Associated Charities, which is preparing to aid them.

After looking all day yesterday for work, with no results, the family will probably leave today for McGehee, where Mr. Juliettes will seek employment with the railroad.

An interesting curio of the unhappy country which Mrs. Juliettes brought back to the United States with her is an artistic plate, one which formerly graced the sideboard of a Mexican family of wealth, and which must have been a piece of a very valuable set. The plate is bronzed underneath and is glazed, with the head and shoulders of a woman inlaid so that it appears to be raised.

She said the plate was given her by a rebel, who was starving and to whom she gave something to eat. He gave her the plate, she said, because of her kindness to him. Mrs. Juliettes says that the plate has been considered by collectors quite valuable.

The Maccabees pay all claims in ten days after proof is filed; none can pay quicker. That is why the Maccabees stand so well. The rates are adequate and payments are prompt.

United States Troops and Mexicans Fight

Shots Are Exchanged and Reports Are That Some Were Killed.

Del Rio, Tex., March 23.—Shots were exchanged between United States troops and Mexican Federals near McGee's crossing Sunday afternoon. One United States cavalryman was wounded. The casualties on the Mexican side have not been learned definitely, although it has been reported that several have been killed and wounded.

The American troopers involved in the fray were a detachment of Troop E, Fourteenth cavalry. The officer in charge of the detachment has refused to make any statement regarding the affair, except that he has made an official report to Gen. Bliss, commander of the department at Fort Sam Houston.

TONIGHT AT COURT HOUSE

Judge Harvey R. Lucas will address the voters of this district tonight from the courthouse steps at 7:30 o'clock. He is a candidate for prosecuting attorney and is opposing Thomas G. Parham.

CLOSING CAMPAIGN.

Little Rock, March 23.—Practically all the candidates for state offices are winding up their campaign in Little Rock today and Tuesday, prepar-

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